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LIST OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

AND FIELD CLUBS

IN GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

The following list has been compiled mainly from information recently sent us by the Secretaries of the various Societies named. For obvious reasons the Chartered London Societies have been omitted, and in the meantime we have omitted the scientific societies connected with the public schools, a list of which we hope to be able to give in an early number. Corrections of the following list and any additional information are requested by the Editor. The letter (E) denotes that the number of members has been taken from the list appended to Sir Walter Elliot's Address to the Edinburgh Botanical Society (November 1872); *a* denotes that the Society is also a Field Club; and *b* that it issues regular or occasional publications.

County and Title of Society.	When founded.	No. of members.
ENGLAND AND WALES		
Berkshire		
Reading Microscopical Society...	1860	72
*ab*Newbury District Field Club	1870	98(E)
Buckinghamshire		
High Wycombe Nat. Hist. Soc.	1865	70(E)
Cambridgeshire		
*b*Cambridge Philosophical Society	1819	557(E)
a ,, Field Naturalists' Club and Entomological Society	1852	40(E)
Cambridge Natural Science Club	1872	12
Cheshire (*See* Lancashire)		
*a*Chester Society of Nat. Sci.	1871	454
Cornwall		
Cornwall Royal Geological Society (Penzance)	1814	163(E)
*ab*Royal Institution of Cornwall (Truro)	1818	214(E)
*b*Cornwall Royal Polytechnic Soc. (Falmouth)..	1833	400
*b*Penzance Nat. Hist. and Antiquarian Soc. ...	1839	60(E)
Cumberland		
*a*Keswick Literary Society	1869	70
Devonshire		
*ab*Plymouth Institution and Devon and Cornwall Statistical Society	1812	153(E)
Torquay Natural History Society	1844	104
*ab*Teign Naturalists' Field Club	1858	123
Association for Advancement of Science, Literature, and Art	1862	174(E)
*ab*Exeter Naturalists' Club and Archæol. Assoc...	1862	165(E)
Dorsetshire		
*b*Purbeck Society	1855	30(?)
Durham (*See* Newcastle)		
*a*Seaham Nat. Hist. Club	1861	50(E)
Glamorganshire		
*b*Royal Institution of S. Wales (Swansea) ...	1835	255(E)
*ab*Cardiff Naturalists' Society	1867	289
Gloucestershire		
Bristol Microscopical Society	1843	33(E)
*ab*Cotteswold Naturalists' Field Club (Stroud) ...	1846	100(E)
*ab*Bristol Naturalists' Society	1862	204
*ab*Cheltenham Naturalists' Association	1867	32(E)
Hampshire		
*b*Isle of Wight Philosophical and Scientific Soc.	1850	103
*ab*Winchester and Hampshire Scien. & Lit. Soc.	1869	125
Bournemouth Nat. Hist. & Antiquarian Soc....	1870	
S. of England Lit. & Phil. Soc. (Southampton)		115(E)
Herefordshire		
*ab*Woolhope Naturalists' Field Club	1851	174(E)
Kent		
*ab*East Kent Natural History Soc. (Canterbury)...	1859	109
*ab*Folkestone Natural History Society	1868	150
*ab*Maidstone and Mid-Kent Natural History and Philosophical Society	1869	80
*ab*West Kent Natural History, Microscopical and Photographic Society		135
London, Counties included in		
Geological Association	1858	297
*ab*Quekett Microscopical Club	1865	570
Old Change Microscopical Society	1865	
*ab*Croydon Microscopical Club	1870	135
South London Micros. and Nat. Hist. Club ...	1870	200
,, ,, Entomological Society	1872	
*a*New Cross Micros. and Nat. Hist. Soc.... ...	1872	
Sydenham and Forest Hill Micros. Club... ...		
Bethnal Green Clubs		
Lancashire		
*b*Manchester Literary and Philosophical Society (including Microscopical section)	1781	222
*b*Liverpool Literary and Philosophical Society...	1812	198
*b*Lancashire and Cheshire Historical Society ...	1831	257(E
*ab*Liverpool Naturalists' Field Club	1860	500
*ab*Manchester Field Naturalists' Society	1860	180
a ,, Scientific Students' Association ...	1860	140
a ,, Lower Mosely Street School Nat. Hist. Soc. ... ... about	1863	
*a*Lunesdale Naturalists' Field Club (Lancaster)..	1868	80(E)
,, Entomological Society		
ab ,, Geological Society...		
Warrington Literary and Philosophical Society		96
Leicestershire		
*b*Leicester Literary and Philosophical Society ...	1835	238(E)
Norfolk		
*a*Norwich Geological Society	1864	
*ab*Norfolk and Norwich Naturalists' Society ...	1869	118
,, Microscopical Society		
Northamptonshire		
*a*Northamptonshire Field Club	1866	50(E)
Northumberlandshire		
Newcastle-on-Tyne Lit. and Phil. Soc.	1793	1500
b ,, ,, Antiquarian Soc.	1813	
,, ,, Entomological Soc.	1870	35(E)
*b*Northumberland, Durham, and Newcastle Nat. Hist. Soc. (Newcastle-on-Tyne)	1829	130
*ab*Tyneside Naturalists' Field Club	1846	600
Nottinghamshire		
*a*Nottingham Naturalists' Society	1852	45
,, Literary and Philosophical Soc....	1864	271
Oxfordshire		
Ashmolean Society (Oxford)	1828	
Shropshire		
*b*Ludlow Natural History Society	1833	70(E)
*b*Shropshire and N. Wales Natural History and Antiquarian Society	1835	86(E)

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*ab*Oswestry and Welshpool Naturalists' Field Club and Archæological Society	1857	45
*a*Severn Valley Naturalists' Field Club (Bridgenorth)	1863	243(E
*a*Caradoc Field Club (Shrewsbury)	1863	71 (E
a ,, Field Club	1868	60(E
Somersetshire		
Royal Literary and Scientific Institution (Bath)	1823	215
*b*Somersetshire Archæological & Nat. Hist. Soc.	1849	365(E)
*ab*Bath Nat. Hist. and Antiquarian Field Club...	1855	94
Staffordshire		
*ab*North Staffordshire Naturalists' Field Club ...	1865	280
*a*Tamworth Natural History, Geological, and Antiquarian Society	1871	100
Suffolk		
*ab*Suffolk Institute of Archæology and Nat. Hist. (Bury St. Edmunds)	1848	147
Surrey (*See* London)		
*ab*Holmesdale Nat. Hist. Club (Reigate)	1857	105(E)
Sussex		
*ab*Brighton and Sussex Nat. Hist. Soc.	1854	180
*ab*Lewes and East Surrey Nat. Hist. Soc... ...	1864	105
*b*Eastbourne Nat. Hist. Soc.	1868	95
Warwickshire		
*b*Warwickshire Nat. Hist. and Archæological Soc.	1836	97(E)
ab ,, Naturalists' and Archæologists' Field Club	1854	50(E)
Birmingham Nat. Hist. and Microscopical Soc.	1858	
Leamington Philosophical Society	1866	
Wiltshire		
Wiltshire Archæological and Nat. Hist. Soc...	1853	320
Worcestershire		
*b*Worcestershire Nat. Hist. Soc.	1833	200(E)
a ,, Naturalists' Field Club	1846	120
*ab*Malvern Field Club	1853	60
*ab*Dudley and Midland Geological and Scientific Society and Field Club	1862	172(E)
Yorkshire		
*b*Leeds Philosophical and Literary Society ...	1820	650
*b*Hull Literary and Philosophical Society... ...	1821	371
Sheffield Literary and Philosophical Society ...	1822	241(E)
Whitby Literary and Philosophical Society ...	1822	58
*b*Yorkshire Philosophical Society	1822	459(E)
*b*Scarborough Philosophical Society	1829	66(E)
*b*W. Riding Geological and Polytechnic Society	1838	
*ab*Yorkshire Naturalists' Club	1849	98(E)
*a*Halifax Naturalists' Society	1857	41(E)
*a*Leeds Natural History Society...	1862	61(E)
*ab*West Riding Consolidated Naturalists' Society including :—	1862	
*a*Huddersfield Naturalists' Society	1847	125
*a*Heckmondwike ,, ,, ...	1861	36
*a*West Clayton ,, ,, ...	1862	24(E)
*a*Ovenden ,, ,, ...	1865	36(E)
*a*Barnsley ,, ,, ...	1867	47
*a*Stainland ,, ,, ...	1868	
*a*Rippenden ,, ,, ...	1871	
*a*Holmforth ,, ,, ...	1871	
*a*Wakefield ,, ,, ...	1871	
*a*Liversedge ,, ,, ...	1872	
*a*Rostrick ,, ,, ...	1873	
*a*Birkby ,, ,, ...	1873	
*b*Ripon Scientific Society	1862	50(E)
*a*Richmond and N. Riding Naturalists' Field Club	1863	147
*a*Norland Naturalists' Society	1863	17(E)
*ab*Cleveland Literary and Philosophical Society...	1863	160(E)
*a*Bradford Philosophical Society...	1865	
*a*Bolton Scientific Students' Society	1865	
*a*Leeds Naturalists' Field Club and Scientific Association	1870	66
Bolton Literary and Scientific Society	1871	100
*a*The Denny Club (Leeds)		
*a*Morley Naturalists' Society		13(E)
SCOTLAND		
Aberdeenshire		
Aberdeen Philosophical Society	1840	83(E)
ab ,, Nat. Hist. Soc....	1863	80(E)
Berwickshire		
*ab*Berwickshire Naturalists' Club...	1831	249(E)
Clackmannanshire		
*ab*Alloa Nat. Science and Archæology Soc. ...	1862	110
Dumfriesshire		
*ab*Dumfriesshire Nat. Hist. and Antiquarian Soc.	1862	100(E)
Fifeshire		
*a*Largs Field Naturalists' Soc.	1863	60
Forfarshire		
*b*Montrose Nat. Hist. and Antiquarian Society...	1836	190(E)
*a*Dundee Naturalists' Field Club	1869	12
Inverness-shire		
Inverness Literary Institute		60
Lanarkshire		
*b*Glasgow Philosophical Society...	1802	570
ab ,, Nat. Hist. Society	1851	221
ab ,, Geological Society	1858	202
Morayshire		
Elgin and Morayshire Lit. and Scien. Assoc...	1836	100
Nairn		
Nairn Naturalists' Club		
Orkney		
Orkney Nat. Hist. Soc.	1837	17
Perthshire		
Perth Literary and Antiquarian Society	1784	
*ab*Perthshire Society of Natural Science	1867	150
Renfrewshire		
Paisley Field Club (recently formed)		
Roxburgh		
Tweedside Physical and Antiquarian Society...	1834	60(E)
*b*Hawick Archæological Society...	1856	158
Selkirk		
Galashiels Society (recently formed)		
IRELAND		
Antrim		
*b*Belfast Nat. Hist. and Philosophical Society ...	1821	
ac ,, Naturalists' Field Club	1863	242
Cork		
Royal Institution (Cork)	1807	
Cork Literary and Scientific Society...	1819	
Cuvierian and Archæological Society (Cork) ...	1835	
Londonderry		
*ab*Derry Nat. Hist. and Philosophical Society ...	1870	80

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